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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

JOSE ALVARADO, JIMENA ALVARADO, ERIKA ALVARADO, and MARCUS ALVARADO, in each case individually and as successor in interest to Delfino Avila, deceased.

#### **Plaintiffs.**

vs.

CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO and  
DOES 1-10, inclusive.

## Defendants

Case No. 5:24-cv-00088-JGB-SHK

*Assigned to:*

**Hon Jesus G. Bernal**

Hon. Mag. Judge Shashi H. Kewalramani

**REQUEST FOR ORDER  
PERMITTING PLAINTIFFS'  
COUNSEL RENEE V.  
MASONGSONG TO APPEAR AT  
THE SCHEDULING CONFERENCE  
IN LIEU OF PLAINTIFFS' LEAD  
TRIAL COUNSEL.**

Date: September 9, 2024  
Time: 11:00 a.m.  
Crtrm: Courtroom 1  
3470 Twelfth Street  
Riverside, CA 92501

1 **TO THIS HONORABLE COURT, AND DEFENDANT CITY OF SAN  
2 BERNARDINO THROUGH ITS ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:**

3 Plaintiffs Jose Alvarado, Jimena Alvarado, Erika Alvarado, and Marcus  
4 Alvarado hereby respectfully request that their attorney, Renee V. Masongsong, be  
5 permitted to appear at the Scheduling Conference in this matter, currently scheduled  
6 for September 9, 2024 at 11:00 a.m., in lieu of Plaintiffs' lead trial counsel Dale K.  
7 Galipo. Plaintiffs acknowledge that the Honorable Jesus G. Bernal's Standing Order  
8 (Dkt. 9) and Order Setting Scheduling Conference (Dkt. 17) require the presence of  
9 lead trial counsel at all scheduling and pretrial conferences. However, Plaintiffs' lead  
10 trial counsel, Dale K. Galipo, will be engaged in trial before the Honorable Judge  
11 Bret Hillman on September 9, 2024, in the case of *Anyka Harris, et al. v. City of*  
12 *Tulare, et al.*, in the Superior Court of Tulare County, Case No. VCU299232. Ms.  
13 Masongsong has been fully involved in this case, including in participating in the  
14 Rule 26(f) early meeting of counsel. Accordingly, Plaintiffs and their counsel  
15 respectfully request that this Honorable Court allow Ms. Masongsong to appear on  
16 Plaintiffs' behalf at the September 9, 2024 Scheduling Conference in this matter in  
17 lieu of Mr. Galipo.

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19 DATED: September 3, 2024                           LAW OFFICES OF DALE K. GALIPO

20    By: s/ Renee V. Masongsong  
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22    Renee V. Masongsong  
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